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Production of L-Lysine

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Amendment to Comply With Sequence Listing Rules

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated April 23, 2001, Applicants are submitting the following amendments to comply with the Sequence Listing rules.

Amendments

In order to comply with the requirements set forth in 37 C.F.R § 1.821 and/or 1.825, Applicants' undersigned attorney hereby states that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in the computer readable form submitted with the application is identical to the information provided in the paper copy of the sequence listing.

Conclusion

In light of the amendments made above, Applicants submit that they have now fully complied with the Sequence Listing rules. It is therefore respectfully submitted that this application is now in condition for substantive review.

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If, in the opinion of the Examiner, a phone call may help to expedite the prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to call Applicants' undersigned attorney at (202) 861-3020.

Respectfully submitted,

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